



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: **Dee**

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Serial No.: **09/894,378**

§ Group Art Unit: **2653**

Filed: **June 29, 2001**

§ Examiner: **Castro, Angel A.**

For: **Apparatus and Method of
Making a Reduced Sensitivity Spin
Valve Sensor Apparatus in which a
Flux Injection Efficiency is Reduced**

§ Attorney Docket No.: **2001-021-TAP**

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time in which to file a Notice of Appeal in the above case, pursuant to 37 CFR Section 1.17(a). Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee. No additional extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an additional extension of time is required, the extension is requested and, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0392.

Respectfully submitted,

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